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IN BATTLE ROYAL

NEGRO MINISTERS FAIL TO AGREE ON FEE FOR SERVICE.

ONE MAN USES A POKER

Mr. Reed Finds Himself Out in the Street With A Deep Gash in His Head—Trial This Afternoon.

The time—3 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

The place—The rear room in the African Baptist church.

The principals—The Rev. H. W. Reed and the Rev. Mr. Walker. (colored).

The causes—A marriage certificate and 50 cents.

Results—A broken head, a warrant for the arrest and a trial this afternoon.

These are the principal facts in the case which is up before Mayor A. S. Robey this afternoon, wherein one Rev. Mr. Walker is charged with a too free use of the poker on the head of the Rev. H. W. Reed. The principals in the trial are each telling "how it all happened," and Mayor A. S. Robey will decide on the merits of the case.

t was this way: The Rev. Mr. Reed, former pastor of the African Baptist church, had been earning his living by doing odd jobs for the last few months and had not paid much attention to his ministerial activities. Consequently, when William E. Campbell and Miss Mamie E. Williams appeared in his presence and asked to be married, he found that although he could perform the marriage ceremony with all his old-time skill, he had forgotten a few little intricacies in the preparation of the marriage certificate.

What was more natural then but that he should apply to his brother preacher for the necessary information? He betook himself to the church and the Rev. Mr. Walker gave the required "statistics" with apparent good will, until the question of "How much do I owe you for your trouble?" arose. Mr. Walker demanded 50 cents for the "gray matter" which he had wasted in showing Mr. Reed what he was supposed to know. Mr. Reed said that was too much and offered to settle the difficulty by a deposit of 25 cents for the work.

Bitter words followed, "Bonehead," "scoundrel," and numerous other epithets were freely used, and at last Mr. Walker wishing to emphasize a few of his remarks laid hold of the poker.

First thing Mr. Reed comprehended he was out in the open air with a couple of gashes in his head and with his feelings also badly bruised.

He had his head dressed by Dr. Will Wallis, Jr., and then swore out a warrant for the Rev. Mr. Walker. The result is that the differences of the two are being settled at the City Hall this afternoon.

READING CIRCLE MEETING

Board Will Be In Session Tomorrow to Decide on Teachers' and Pupils' Books.

The Reading Circle Board of the State Teachers' association will meet at 9 o'clock tomorrow in President Richardson's office for the purpose of selecting the reading circle books for the teachers and the children. It is the aim of the board to select books for the teachers that will add to their teaching knowledge and to furnish children with books that will develop a taste for profitable reading.

The members of the board are: President, C. C. Thudium, Fredericks-town; vice-president, Mrs. J. M. Greenwood, Kansas City; county superintendent, Harry Moore, Mount Vernon; state superintendent, Euel W. Lamkin, and President Ira Richardson.

A marriage license was issued in St. Joseph yesterday to E. L. Hammond of Maryville and Miss Pearl Yeager of Skidmore.

The New High School Mathematics Teacher

Miss Dorothy Hann, recently appointed by the Maryville school board for the position of teacher of mathematics in the Maryville High school, just completed a term in the Burlington Junction High school.

Miss Hann is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hann, and was born and reared in Burlington Junction. She received her college education at Baker University, Baldwin, Kan., from which she holds an A. B. degree. She was popular among the students at the Burlington Junction High school and made special success in her work as coach for debates, plays and literary work.

She comes to Maryville highly recommended as a teacher and a church worker.

MERCURY BEGINS TO CLIMB

Reached 86 Degrees Yesterday and Was 87 Degrees Today — Good Corn-Growing Weather.

At last the old thermometer hanging on a tree or in a sheltered recess of the porch has felt the call to let its mercury climb and it is doing noble work. Yesterday the temperature as recorded by Maryville's official thermometer in charge of J. R. Brink reported 86 degrees and today at noon the mercury had gone one better with 87 degrees to its credit.

At this rate it will not be long before corn-growing weather will be with us permanently. Already the first leaves are beginning to appear above the ground and with a week or so of the present weather, real honest-to-goodness stalks will be developing.

LICENSE TAGS ARE HERE

E. J. Howland, City Clerk, Reports Large Distribution Already — Tags Are Classified.

E. J. Howland, city clerk, reports a large distribution of the new vehicle tags, which arrived in Maryville last night. The tags are red with lettering in black showing the class number and the year. Both tags and license certificates are free and are given when the licenses are paid.

The classes of vehicles according to their letters are . A—passengers; B—dray and baggage wagons; C—All tank wagons; D—All job wagons; E—All delivery wagons; F—all two-seated rigs; G—single seated rigs; H—hearses and ambulances; I—private automobiles; J—motorcycles; K—two-wheel carts; L—every vehicle not in the foregoing classifications.

The money from these licenses will be used to keep the streets clean.

SUCCESS IN PRELIMINARIES

Chauncey Saville, E. H. White and George Hubbard Take Firsts in Morning Try-outs.

Chauncey Saville, E. H. White and George Hubbard won firsts in the morning preliminaries and are entered in the finals at the track meet in Liberty today, according to word received by President Ira Richardson. Eight schools are entered in the meet. The State Normal School team expect to capture a few points. William Jewell, Westminster, Kirksville and Springfield Normal schools are slated to make the best showing this year.

SATURDAY SPECIAL
—at the—
Lincoln 5 and 10c Store
Ben Hur Soap
Seven Bars for 25c
with each 50c purchase

ARMY BILL IS LAW

PRESIDENT WILL AFFIX SIGNATURE TO CONSCRIPTION TODAY.

NATIONAL GUARD ORDERS

Mobilization of These Units Will Begin at Once — Here Are Its Chief Provisions.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, May 18.—Sometime before night the law of conscription of young men of America for military duty will exist on the statute books of the land for raising a national army to carry the stars and stripes to the trenches of Europe. Although the selective draft bill was finally agreed upon by both Senate and House it had not reached the White House at noon, but was expected momentarily, and it is learned the president is ready to affix his signature to it.

Orders which will immediately mobilize the entire national guard will be signed by the president immediately after he affixes his signature to the draft bill this afternoon. Vice-president Marshall and Speaker Clark signed the conscription bill this afternoon.

Its chief provisions are:

Raising of armed forces by the selective draft system, imposed upon all men between the ages of 21 and 30 years, inclusive, subject to registration and certain exemptions from service.

Increasing the regular army to maximum war strength.

Drafting into the federal service of national guard units.

Raising of an initial force by conscription of ½ million men, with addition of ½ million if deemed necessary.

Raising, if the president sees fit, of four divisions of volunteer infantry (the Roosevelt amendment).

Increasing the pay of all enlisted men as follows: $15 additional monthly for those now receiving less than $21, comprising the bulk of the army, graduated down to $6 additional monthly for those receiving $45 or more.

Prohibiting sale of liquor at or near army training camps and otherwise protecting morals of the soldiers.

Conferees On Espionage Bill.

Washington, May 18.—The Senate and House conferees today took up the task of adjusting the differences between the two houses on the Espionage bill. Several weeks of negotiating appeared likely as they went into session this morning. The two big points of differences are on censorship and the embargo provisions.

EXPECT GOOD ATTENDANCE

Chairmen of Township Organizations and Representatives of Farm Clubs Are Coming.

Indications point to a record attendance at the meeting to organize the Farm Bureau board which will be held in the circuit court room at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

All of the chairmen of the township organizations have expressed their intention of attending this meeting and the representatives of the Farm clubs organized throughout the county by Mr. Kinnaird will all be present.

The enthusiasm that will insure increased acreage and also the conservation of foods in this county has spread into every district, according to the County Central committee, which is watching the movement with interest.

It has been noticed that wherever there is a shortage of help on the farms, the women are assisting in putting in the crops. Another evidence of the anxiety on the part of the farmers to do their share for their county is the use of listing wherever possible to take the place of plowing. When this means of getting the ground ready is used, it is possible to increase the number of acres under cultivation with the same amount of labor.

The chairmen of the township committees are working hard to increase the production in their various districts. They have held meetings and used other means of awakening interest and enthusiasm.

BREAKS DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, May 18.—Honduras has broken diplomatic relations with Germany, according to state department reports.

THE G. A. R. FUND

MARYVILLE CITIZENS CONTRIBUTE NOBLY FOR FLAG STAFF.

HAVE COLLECTED $98.75

Appeal for Aid Is Heard in Des Moines, Ia.—Mrs. Birdella Foster Sends Contribution.

There was never for a moment any doubt that Maryville citizens would let the members of the G. A. R. do without a flagstaff for want of money. But the generous and whole-hearted response of every business man in town to the appeal of the Memorial and Decoration day committee has been overwhelming and unexpected.

This morning Mr. Sipes announced that $98.75 had been collected for the steel flag staff, and this redoubtable veteran said that we would not stop until the amount had been reached, $100. With this money Old Glory can be raised to the skies in a manner worthy of the stars and stripes, and the old soldiers can feel that Maryville honors them in a more substantial way than by just mere words.

While the response to the veteran's appeal for aid in erecting the flag was mostly within the city, Mr. Sipes received a letter this morning from Mrs. Birdella Garrett Foster, of Des Moines, Ia., enclosing a check for $5 in memory of her father, William T. Garrett, who belonged to Sedgwick Post during his life-time, and as Mrs. Foster says, was deeply interested in every movement for the welfare of the Civil war veterans. Here is her letter:

Mr. Noah Sipes, Maryville, Mo.

Dear Sir:—I see by the Democrat-Forum that the G. A. R. is desirous of erecting a flag staff for its flag and is asking for donations.

Enclosed find check for $5 which I wish used toward this fund. My father, W. T. Garrett, was once a member of this Post and was always very much interested in everything undertaken by them.

I am glad of the privilege of helping in this small way to give the old soldiers any pleasure which they surely deserve.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Birdella Garrett Foster,
Des Moines, Ia.

OLD SETTLER DIES

DAVID YEISLEY, 90, HAD LIVED NEAR ARKOE SIXTY YEARS.

Was Member of State Militia During Civil War But Saw No Active Service.

David Yeisley, one of the oldest settlers of Nodaway county died of old age about 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ham Ellsworth on North Walnut street.

Mr. Yeisley was 90 years old and was born in Ashley county, Ohio, where he lived till grown to young manhood. In the year 1848 he moved to Iowa, where he engaged in farming for several years. Sixty years ago he moved to a farm, southeast of Arkoe, where he has since resided. He was a member of the state militia during the Civil war, but was not called upon to serve in active battles.

Mr. Yeisley was married twice, first to Miss Olivia Ellsworth of Ohio, who died in the year 1865. In the year of 1870, he was married to Mrs. Medina Clark, who died several years ago.

Three children survive Mr. Yeisley, John Yeisley of Seattle, Wash.; Walter Yeisley of Arkoe and Mrs. Nora Kight of Hill City, Idaho. One brother, William Yeisley of Kidder, Mo., also survives.

Funeral services will be held at 11 o'clock tomorrow, at the Walter Yeisley home at Arkoe, the Rev. J. A. Moorman of Barnard officiating. Burial will be in the Swinford cemetery.

Mr. Wells Wants Trial.

E. C. Culp and J. T. Wells, arrested yesterday afternoon on a charge of violating the ordinance which prohibits cattle and horses from running loose within the city limits, appeared before Mayor Robey yesterday afternoon. Mr. Culp paid his fine, but Mr. Wells asked for trial, which will be held next Thursday.

Mrs. Ula Morehouse and daughter, Margaret were dinner guests yesterday of Mrs. C. A. Lawler.

NOT A SLACKER.

I'M SORRY MRS. JONES, I SHANT BE AT THE BRIDGE CLUB TODAY, YOU KNOW I'M BUSY SEWING FOR THE - RED CROSS -
OUR SOLDIERS WILL NEED KNITTED SOCKS PAJAMAS BANDAGES ETC. THE RED CROSS MUST HELP
DONNELL

—Donnell in St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

MARTIN MEMORIAL

CROWD OF FRIENDS AND RELATIVES ATTEND BAR SERVICE.

FIVE LAWYERS SPEAK

Pass Resolutions on Death of Mr. Martin and Talk on Life and Achievements of the Dead Man.

The members of the Nodaway County Bar, and friends and relatives of B. Raleigh Martin attended the memorial exercises at the County Court house last night. Judge John Dawson was in charge of the program in which the greater number of the lawyers of Maryville had a part.

Ellis G. Cook, representing the committee which had been appointed to draft the resolutions on the death of Mr. Martin, read the resolutions of the Buchanan County bar sent to Maryville some time ago, and then read the resolutions framed by the Nodaway committee. These resolutions were accepted by the members of the bar.

Talks on the life and achievements of the dead man were made by M. E. Ford, W. A. Blagg, W. G. Sawyers, Judge Dawson and Judge W. C. Ellison.

Mr. Ford spoke on the courage and fortitude of Mr. Martin, qualities which he said enabled him to face the bitterest defeats like a real man.

Mr. Blagg dwelt upon Mr. Martin's integrity, saying that in all his dealings with him, he had never found it necessary to put any of his agreements in writing.

Mr. Sawyers emphasized in particular, Mr. Martin's amiability, his self-restraint and his democratic spirit, which enabled him to meet men of all classes with ease and composure.

Judge Dawson's words were of praise for Mr. Martin in his dealings with the court. He mentioned his unfailing courtesy to the bench, to the witnesses and to the counsel on the other side. He said that Mr. Martin was never known to cherish any resentment against those who wronged him.

Judge Ellison said that Mr. Martin had no equal in charm of manner, in disposition to please and in kindness of heart. He also praised his oratorical and reasonable logic in the analysis of his law cases.

The resolutions adopted by the Nodaway County bar as follows:

In Memory of B. Raleigh Martin.

Perhaps the finest orator who made his appearance at the bar, as a member of it, was the lamented B. Raleigh Martin, who on the fifteenth day of January, 1917, in the city of Chicago, in the state of Illinois, was cut down by the relentless hand of death in the midst of a very brilliant and successful career. It was a treat to listen to him and to witness the play of passion and emotion as the well rounded and beautiful sentences dropped from

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HURT IN COLLISION

VALUABLE RACE HORSE SUFFERS BROKEN LEG IN ACCIDENT.

F. F. BROCKWAY INJURED

Thrown From Sulky as Jitney Crashes Into it, and Injures His Shoulder.

F. F. Brockaway, race horse trainer, was slightly injured and a valuable race horse which he was driving was severely injured in a collision with a jitney about 8 o'clock this morning.

Mr. Brockaway, who is training a number of horses for races at the fair grounds, was driving a valuable trotter belonging to T. Willard Ready of Niles, Mich., along east First street. Ross Burris driving the jitney belonging to Clark Scott came along behind Mr. Brockaway and in some way ran into the sulky.

Mr. Brockaway was thrown out of the sulky and his right shoulder was severely wrenched, a number of the ligaments being torn out of place.

The horse was knocked down and slid about twenty-five feet, suffering a broken left front leg. He was taken to the Cline & Felix Veterinary hospital where the leg was placed in a cast. Doctor Cline said this afternoon that he could not tell for a week or two whether the horse would ever be fit for the track again.

Mr. Brockaway telegraphed Mr. Ready, the owner of the horse, and word was received that he would be in Maryville within a few days.

The jitney was damaged slightly.

LOCATES MISSING INMATE.

Feebleminded Man Escaped from Poor Farm Found Near Hopkins.

Claud Lanninger, a feebleminded inmate of the county poor farm, who recently escaped from the farm, was located by Sheriff John F. Dowden this morning and was returned to the institution.

The man was found seven miles northeast of Hopkins, where he had taken shelter in an old house and got his meals by begging from the farmers living in the neighborhood. A complaint from the residents of the district led to the capture of the man.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

GERMANS STILL LOSE

BELIEVED TO BE PREPARING FOR RETREAT NORTH OF THE AISNE

ITALIANS NEAR TRIESTE

Whole of Baston, East of Plouva Reported Captured by Italian Troops —Violent Battle Rages.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, May 18.—A lull has fallen over the battle front east of Arras, the war office reported today. It is said the only activity last night occurred east of Armentiers where German raiding parties were beaten off.

Action North of Aisne.

Paris, May 18.—The Germans continue to hammer the French north of Aisne river and several assaults were made near Craonne, but all were repulsed. The Germans suffered heavy losses in Torrain where French raiding parties were successful.

Aereal observers report fire behind the German lines and a hugh pall of smoke can be seen from the Allies' positions. It is believed that the time for retreat is near.

Italians Capture Baston.

Rome, May 18.—The whole of Baston east of Plouva, one of the most strongly fortified positions of the Austro-Hungarian front has been captured by the Italians. Violent fighting is raging.

Forcing "Gateway to Trieste."

Rome, May 18.—The "gateway to Trieste" is being forced open, says a triumphant telegram from the Italian front today.

Confident of German Lines.

Amsterdam, May 18.—"As solid as a wall of steel," is the way the German newspapers characterize the German line on the western front. Berlin dispatches say that heavy fighting continues around Rouex and Bullecourt and on both sides of the Aisne river as well as at Champagne.

New York, May 18.—The New York Herald prints a story to the effect that the first contingent of Japanese troops landed at Marseilles April 29. It is the general belief in Paris, according to the Herald's information, that the Japs will be assigned to fight shoulder to shoulder with a division of the Russian allies.

PEACE REIGNS IN RUSSIA

Agreement Resulting in Coalition Cabinet Gives Hope That Nation Will Now Help in War.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Petrograd, May 18. — Peace reigns in political circles of Russia once more. But whether this truce is permanent is not yet manifest. The agreement effected by the Council of Workmen and Soldiers' delegates resulting in the coalition cabinet gives excellent ground for the hope that Russia will henceforth present a solid front to her enemies.

Submarines Held at Bases.

Washington, May 18.—The German submarines are being held at their bases by the new greatly strengthened patrol systems. In this new patrol the American destroyer squadron is doing its bit well, according to the confidential advices reaching the members of the foreign missions here.

Reorganizing Diplomatic Service.

Paris, May 18.—France is considering reorganizing her diplomatic service, it was learned today.

THE WEATHER.

Partly cloudy and probably unsettled tonight and Saturday; not much change in temperature.

Market by Ladies of St. Patrick's Church
Schumacher Grocery Store
Saturday, May 19

Feature Tonight
EMPIRE Theatre
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ETHEL CLAYTON and ROCKLIFFE FELLOWES
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MARTIN MEMORIAL

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his lips. He possessed in an eminent degree the happy faculty of expressing his thought with a brilliancy of diction that was at once enviable.

At an early age he was thrown upon his own resources, inspired by genius and ambition he began at once to forge his way to the front, and at an early age won for himself an enviable reputation as an orator, lawyer and advocate.

Thinking and caring more for the interests of others than himself, he oftimes sacrificed his personal interests for the advancement of his friends.

He had that sweetness of disposition, that kindness of heart, and that sympathy for and thoughtfulness of others which endeared him to all.

To know him was to like him; to know him well was to love him. If you were his enemy you could not but admire him. As a friend, he would do more, make more sacrifices and go farther than anyone else.

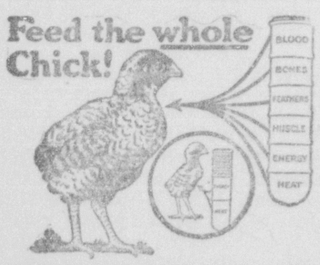
He treasured neither wrongs nor hate. He was an unselfish friend and a generous opponent, and all who knew him well admired and respected him. His gentlemanly conduct was so marked as to endear him to every member of the bar.

Resolved: That in the death of our brother, B. Raleigh Martin we have lost one who was an example of professional honor, courtesy and faithfulness to every obligation imposed by the calling to which he was so sincerely devoted.

That as a further mark of our respect for the deceased, a copy of these resolutions be spread on the records of this honorable court and be presented to his family and friends.

W. A. Blagg,
M. E. Ford,
Ellis G. Cook,
Committee.

Feed the whole Chick!



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Plenty of plants of all kinds for the beautification of home surroundings.

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MARYVILLE, MISSOURI.

FRECKLES

Now is the Time to Get Rid of Those Ugly Spots.

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the prescription othine — double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of othine — double strength—from any druggist and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than an ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength othine as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.

TO POST CONSCRIPT NAMES.

The "Slackers" Then Can Easily Be Detected—Registrars Will Be Paid $4 A Day.

Washington, May 18.—Slackers who seek to evade registration for the war army on the day to be set by President Wilson can be detected easily. A War Department statement today explains that lists of persons registered will be posted, and all citizens who know of evasions are expected to report them.

In failing to register, says the statement, a citizen "places himself cross-current to the overwhelming sentiment of the country as voiced by its representatives in Congress. He casts doubt upon his courage, commits a misdemeanor and renders himself liable to imprisonment."

Persons volunteering to act without compensation as registrars under the Selective Draft Bill were requested in the War Department statement to communicate direct with the sheriff or mayor of their home jurisdiction. The department has been flooded with such volunteer offers, which in each case have to be referred back to local authorities.

The statement announced that the pay of registrars not volunteering would be $4 a day, but that compensation for the registration day only would be allowed.

Enlist in U. S. Army.

Charles D. Goforth of Barnard and Floyd W. Baylard of Cambridge, Neb., have both enlisted in the United States army and will probably leave Saturday night for Jefferson Barracks.

Pickering Girl Ill.

Miss Iona King, the 16-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jud King of Pickering is seriously ill at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cobb and two daughters of Holdridge, Neb., are the guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Ambrose of Bedison.

Will Rogers of Glasgow, Mont., is visiting at the home of his aunt, Mrs. J. T. Karr.

UNIVERSITY SENDS 103 MEN TO FORT RILEY.

Missouri Men Will Be Trained for Service in Officers' Camp.

Columbia, Mo., May 18.—One hundred and three students in the University of Missouri, former students, alumni and men of Columbia have entered the Officers' Training Camp for the Reserve Corps at Fort Riley, Kan. The large number accepted is probably due to the compulsory military training required by the University of every man entering as a freshman.

The Board of Curators of the University has adopted a two-year's compulsory training for the school and it will be placed in effect at the beginning of the school year next fall. A complete four-year curriculum leading to an appointment in the regular army or in the officers' reserve corps is also to be instituted at this time.

NEW REGISTRATION RULING.

Government Issues Instructions for Traveling Salesmen Who Will Be Subject to the Draft.

Washington, May 18.—Traveling men or others who cannot be at home to register for the army conscription on the day to be set by President Wilson's proclamation must apply to the county clerk or city clerk in municipalities of more than 30,000 on the sixth day after the proclamation is issued, the war department announced yesterday. The clerk will supply a registration card, which must be filled out and sent to the registrar of the citizen's home precinct by registration day. Any man too sick to register in person must send a representative to the county or city clerk on the sixth day after the proclamation is issued. The department emphasized that there will be only one registration day.

To Meet Mr. Pryor.

Judge and Mrs. W. C. Ellison, Mrs. I. T. Pryor, Jr., of Fort Stockton, Tex., and George Robb Ellison drove to St. Joseph this afternoon to meet Mr. Pryor.

Tom Gile has recently accepted a position with the Maryville Normal. Mr. Gile has been with the Union Bus company for the last ten years.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter David of Kansas City, have returned to their home after a weeks' visit with Mr. David's sister, Mrs. Tom Gile.

Frank Garrett went to St. Joseph Wednesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Gile left this morning for Baxter, Kan., after a visit with their son, Tom Gile and family and Mr. Gile's sister Mrs. P. K. Brown and family.

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MADE FROM THE HIGHEST GRADE DURUM WHEAT
COOKS IN 12 MINUTES. COOK BOOK FREE
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Largest Macaroni Factory in America

NAT'L GUARD NEEDS MEN

Under Allotment for States, Recently Announced, 8,700 Men Will Bring Units to War Strength.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Jefferson City, May 18.—Under the allotment for states announced a few days ago by the War Department at Washington, Missouri's National Guard would be required to recruit 8,700 additional men in order to bring the units up to full war strength. At present there are 6,100 men in the Missouri National Guard, or peace strength. The state's quota of the 424,800 militiamen to be called into the Federal service is 14,800.

In proportion to population St. Louis would be required to furnish about 3,500 of the quota of 14,800, while about 1,400 would be the share of Kansas City.

The maximum war strength of the country's national guard forces is placed at 424,000. Its present strength is about 186,000. Therefore 238,000 men must volunteer or be drafted to bring the national guard up to its full war strength.

When the national guard has been placed on a war footing its forces will be divided into sixteen divisions.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Following is a list of the letters remaining unclaimed in the Maryville, Mo., postoffice for the week ending Wednesday, May 16, 1917.

Men.

Cole, Fay
Griffin, Charley
Lockhart, J. F.

Women.

Coruforth, Mrs. Mattie
Griffith, Mrs. Walter

Miscellaneous.

Engel Clothing Company

Persons calling for the above named letters will please say "advertised."

Respectfully,
JAMES TODD, Postmaster.

Miss Marie Ward of Shenandoah, Ia., is the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Ed Brewer on West Seventh street.

Auctioning Store Contents.

Fred Wright, a ferchant at Quitman, is selling the contents of his store at auction. Mr. Sheffield of Des Moines is the auctioneer.

Clearmont School Teachers.

The school board of Clearmont has selected the following teachers for next year: Superintendent, Ralph McClintock; high school, Miss May Growney of Maryville; intermediate, Miss Neva McDermott of Clearmont; primary, Miss Merle Levy of Grant City. The teacher for the grammar department has not been selected as yet.

Fined for Gaming.

At the adjourned session of court yesterday afternoon Gene Hadden and Pete Lewis, both of Burlington Junction, who were charged with violation of the gaming laws, pleaded guilty and were each fined $25 and costs.

Adjournment of the court was taken until May 28.

159 MEN LANDED SAFE.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

San Francisco, May 18.—All of the 159 men aboard the steamship, Standard, which went aground off the Alaskan coast, were taken off today.

True Taylor of Graham, C. L. Porter of Mound City, Charles Teson and C. J. Merrigan of Clyde and Mr. and Mrs. F. I. Goslee of Skidmore are among the out-of-town people in Maryville yesterday.

Tom Stinson, who is ill at his home on South Main street is reported improved.

WILL DISCUSS LAND BANK

D. Ward King Will Meet Farmers at Burlington Junction and Hopkins May 29-31.

D. Ward King, director of the Federal Land Bank of St. Louis, will meet with the farmers who desire more information concerning the working of the Federal Land Bank at Burlington Junction on Tuesday, May 29, and at Hopkins, Thursday, May 31. After a short address by Mr. King, these meetings will be thrown open for questions. Mr. King will have organization papers and if desired a National Farm Loan association will be formed.

Pickering Circuit M. E. Church.

Both the attendance and interest was splendid in the Sunday school last Sunday at Pickering. Attendance reached 250 and the collection was $9.56. It was so easily done and was a fine compliment to Bro. Roland Wray on his last Sunday with us. But next Sunday we must do a little better, so as to give Bro. Jake Wiley, our new superintendent, a good start. Our goal for next Sunday is 275 present and $10.00 collection. We can reach it easily if we try.

The pastor will preach at Mozingo Valley next Sunday at 11 a. m., and Pickering at 8 p. m. We cordially invite you to worship with us.

—C. S. Dayhoff, pastor.

To Have Memorial Day.

The Guilford M. W. A. lodge will celebrate Woodmen Memorial day on the first Sunday in June at the South Methodist church in Guilford. Rev. O. E. Lockart will deliver the memorial sermon.

Return From Iowa.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles T. Bell and little son, Charles, Mrs. T. L. Robinson and Miss Nelle Saunders returned last night from a short vacation trip to Des Moines and Colfax, Ia. The trip was made in the Bell car.

S. S. Meeting Postponed.

The Sunday school meeting scheduled for Sunday at Salem about nine miles south of Maryville has been postponed. The church is being remodeled and the meeting will be held on a later date.

MRS. KIESO SICK SEVEN MONTHS

Restored to Health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Aurora, Ill.—"For seven long months I suffered from a female trouble, with severe pains in my back and sides until I became so weak I could hardly walk from chair to chair, and got so nervous I would jump at the slightest noise. I was entirely unfit to do my housework, I was giving up hope of ever being well, when my sister asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I took six bottles and today I am a healthy woman able to do my own housework. I wish every suffering woman would try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and find out for themselves how good it is."—Mrs. Carl A. Kieso, 596 North Ave., Aurora, Ill.

The great number of unsolicited testimonials on file at the Pinkham Laboratory, many of which are from time to time published by permission, are proof of the value of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, in the treatment of female ills.

Every ailing woman in the United States is cordially invited to write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass., for special advice. It is free, will bring you health and may save your life.

Collecting Inheritance Tax.

A. F. Harvey of Maryville was in Skidmore last week getting the valuation of the John G. Hayes estate in order to assess the inheritance tax against the property. The tax, in the present instance will be five per cent of the valuation of the property.

There seems to be a tendency for the state to increase inheritance taxes and if it keeps it up in a few years a millionaire's body will have to be buried in the potters field as there will not be enough money exempt from confiscation to bury him otherwise.—Skidmore News.

Mrs. William Wise of Nixon, Nevada, underwent an operation yesterday at St. Francis hospital.

Dr. W. W. Turner

Osteopathic Physician

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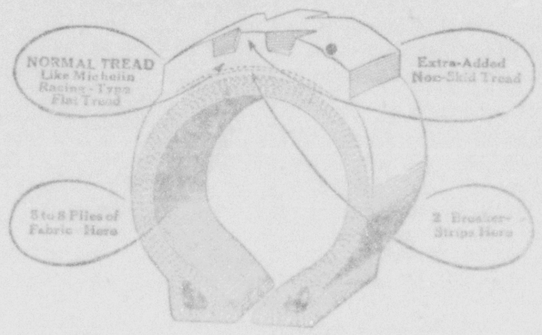

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Buy them early. It will pay you in two ways, both in price and choice of selection.

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Falker's Entertain.

Mrs. Jake Falker entertained at 12 o'clock dinner yesterday in honor of Mrs. John Costello and Miss Anna Kimple.

King's Herald Band Meets.

The King's Herald band of the First Methodist church will meet at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon with Lucile and William Gaugh at their home on West Second street.

Advanced Freshman Picnic.

The members of the Advanced Freshman class of the High school enjoyed a picnic supper last night at Horseshoe Lake, east of Maryville. They were chaperoned by Miss Edith Wren, Prof. C. J. Berger and Prof. Robert M. Magee.

Entertains Embroidery Club.

The C. C. Embroidery club was very pleasantly entertained Friday afternoon at the home of Miss Florence Corcoran. The afternoon was spent in general conversation and in the making of fancy work, after which a delicious luncheon was served. Those present were Mesdames A. M. Schafer, J. H. Jamison, James Donnelly, L. E. Beam, G. S. Parrott, the honor guest Mrs. Mary Ford of Lenox, Ia., and the hostess.—Conception Courier.

Miss Elta Wood, Married.

Miss Elta Wood of Bolckow and John Anthony of St. Joseph, were married at the home of the bride's parents Mr. and Mrs. Eliss Wood at Bolckow, at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, the Rev. Mr. Chapman of Rosendale officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony came to Maryville last night and went to Omaha this morning. After a short trip in Nebraska they will return to St. Joseph, where they will make their home.

Mrs. Anthony is well known in Maryville where she attended the High school for a number of years, being graduated with the mid-year class in 1912. She was graduated from the University of Missouri at Columbia in the spring of 1916, and taught Domestic Science in the public schools at Rosendale last year.

Mr. Anthony travels for Swift & Co. out of St. Joseph.

Miss Mae Howland, a friend and classmate of Mrs. Anthony, was present at the wedding and returned to Maryville with Mr. and Mrs. Anthony last night.

Roy Davis, Host.

The E. L. E. club met Saturday, May 12, at the home of Roy Davis. The home was decorated in lavender and white, the scheme being carried out in the spring flowers. During the evening the guests were entertained by indoor games, conversation and in listening to a number of instrumental and vocal solos. Miss Emma Jensen presided at the piano.

After an evening of amusement the guests were summoned to the dining room where refreshments were served. The host was assisted in entertaining by his sister, Miss Chloe.

Those present during the evening were: Misses Emma Jensen, Jennie Mae Dobbins, Mary E. Coulter, Opal Snowden, Corda Smith, Mary Lieby, Mayme and Katherine Egan, Grace Harmon and Chloe Davis; Messrs Andrew Hansen, Karl Swearingen, Eddie Jensen, Hugh Keenan, Bacile Mickelson, Lehman Hansen, Henry Hansen, Ray Jensen, Chess Curtin, Roy Alloway, Maurice Egan, Jr., Ferol Thompson, Ed Thompson, Lester Swearingen, Henry Lutgen and the host.

At the next meeting the club will be entertained by Hugh Keenan and Chess Curtin.

Miss Hunt Gives Picnic.

Misses Inez Bullerdick, Oma Trotter, Mabel Magee, Jassamine Williams, Grace Pugh, Bertha Jennings, Opal Combs, Alta Argo, Miss Davis and Mrs. Marie Angell; Warren Wilson, M. F. Hunt, William O. DeVore, Charles Wallace, Virgil Bryant and Leslie Elam, members of the Excelsior society of the Normal were entertained with a picnic last night in the Normal Park by Miss Hunt, sponsor of the society. Various games were played. Miss Katherine Helwig of the Normal faculty, was a guest of the society.

Mrs. Theodore Gray, Hostess.

Mrs. Theodore Gray entertained the Social Hour club at her home northwest of Pickering, Wednesday afternoon, May 15. Roll call was answered with the name of favorite flowers. A recitation was given by Mrs. J. L. Hanna, and refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Capels Wilson. The visitors and members present were: Mrs. Ralph Pierpoint, Mrs. Charley Fakes, Miss Cecil Porterfield, Miss Mary Scott, Miss Helen Strong, Miss Lois King, Misses Lesta and Edith Spangler, Mrs. Roy McMillen and daughter, Eva LaVerne, Mrs. Bail Morris, Mrs. W. Spangler, Mrs. George Porterfield, Mrs. J. F. Hanna, Miss Tressie King, Mrs. W. P. Scott, Mrs. Omar Strong, Mrs. J. L. Hanna, Mrs. Capels Wilson, Merle Morris and the hostess.

Mowry Club Meets.

The Mowry W. W. club met Wednesday afternoon, May 16, at the home of Mrs. Frank Hinton. Roll call was responded to with a tribute to Mother. The election of officers was held and was as follows: President, Mrs. Walter Runnels; vice-president, Mrs. Stewart Robinson; secretary, Mrs. James Clayton; corresponding secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Frank Hinton; organist, Mrs. James Clayton, and chorister, Mrs. Mary Rickard.

The following program under the leadership of Mrs. James Clayton was given: Song, "America," reading, Mrs. James Clayton; reading, Mrs. Albert Hinton; solo, Mrs. Marion Rickard; reading, Mrs. John Stevenson; recitation, Mrs. Walter Runnels; solo, Mrs. James Clayton; recitation, Miss Wanda Hinton; reading, Mrs. Stewart Robinson, and song, "Home Sweet Home."

Refreshments were then served by Mrs. Hinton, assisted by Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Rickard, Mrs. Albert Hinton, and Mrs. Runnels. The visitors present were: Mrs. Nancy Wilder, Mrs. Rebecca Hewitt, Mrs. James Neal, Mrs. William Hinton, Mrs. Dennis McGinnis, Mrs. Hornbuckle, Mrs. J. R. Heryford, Miss Ethel McClurg, Miss Wanda Hinton, Miss Fay Hornbuckle, Misses Hildred, Ruth and Blanche Adele Hinton, Miss Jessie Hewitt, Miss Maude Kephart, Harold McArthur, Lauren and Eldena Runnels. Members present were: Mrs. Marion Rickerd, Mrs. Stewart Robinson, Mrs. Parl Runnels, Mrs. John Stephens, Mrs. Albert Hinton, Mrs. Shell Garten, Mrs. James Clayton, Mrs. Walter Runnels, Mrs. Darl McArthur, Mrs. Hugh McClurg, and Mrs. Frank Hinton.

The June meeting will be held with Mrs. Parl Runnels, with Mrs. Marion Rickard as leader. The subject will be "The American Flag."

Mr. and Mrs. Will Heekin and family of Conception were in Maryville yesterday.

Jim Pistole of Hopkins, W. T. Jackson of Parnell and Roy Jackson of Guilford are among the out-of-town people in Maryville today.

MUSICALE AT ASSEMBLY

Mrs. Fred P. Robinson Entertains Normal Students With A Number of Charming Songs.

Mrs. Fred P. Robinson, accompanied by Prof. H. B. Schuler, gave a charming musicale during assembly hour at the State Normal school yesterday morning. The songs were beautifully sung and Mrs. Robinson graciously responded to two encores, singing, "My Laddie," by Thayer, and "Springtide," by Green. The program as given follows:

"In the Time of Roses," (Reichardt).
"The Swallows," (Cowen).
"Memory," (Park).
"Flower Rain," (Schneider).
"Absence," by Prof. H. B. Schuler.
"That's the World in June," (Sproff)

NEW BOOKS AT LIBRARY.

Many Volumes of Fiction and Miscellaneous Works Placed on Shelves.

The following named books have just been added to the shelves of the Maryville Free Public Library:

Fiction — "The Road to Understanding," (E. H. Porter); "The Triflers," (F. O. Bartlett); "The Man Next Door," (E. Hough); "Dabney Todd," (F. N. Wescott); "The Light in the Clearing," (I. Bacheller); "The Twenty-four," (F. H. Fitch); "Shoestrings," (M. Foster); "Wildfire," (Z. Grey); "The Brown Study," (G. Richmond); "Undertow," (K. Norris); "The Girls at His Billett," (B. Ruck).

Non-fiction — "The Pan-Berman Plot Unmasked," (A. Cheradame); "History of Germany in the Nineteenth Century," (H. von Treitschke).

Have Moved to Farm Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry T. Wilson have moved from Burlington Junction to their home at Maple Groves farm, 4 miles east of Burlington Junction. The house, which is the same that Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Wilson occupied before moving to town several years ago, has been remodeled and has all modern conveniences, including a water system and electric lights.—Burlington Junction Post.

Barnard Chautauqua Dates.

The Barnard Chautauqua dates have been set for August 22 to 26 inclusive, according to information received from the men who are guaranteeing it. At a meeting held Tuesday night for the purpose of planning for the Chautauqua, a committee of five men was appointed to go ahead with the arrangements. They are: J. C. Hocker, J. A. Fields, the Rev. Mr. Moorman, the Rev. Mr. Chapman and J. M. Broadbent.

Traveling Salesman Ill.

E. W. Parks, a traveling salesman for the John Morrell Packing company of Ottumwa, Ia., is ill at St. Francis hospital. Mr. Parks' mother arrived yesterday morning to visit him.

Miss Pauline Morgan, who has been visiting for the last two weeks with friends in Maryville, will return to her home in Graham tomorrow.

NEW CHAPTER AT HOPKINS

Officers of O. E. S. Also Installed A Branch Organization At Skidmore Today.

Rosanna Chapter of the O. E. S. of Maryville accompanied Mr. Henthorn worthy grand patron of Missouri O. E. S., and Mrs. Henthorn to Hopkins yesterday afternoon to institute a chapter in that place. The following officers were present at the Hopkins installation: Mrs. Rosanna Stauble, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McCoppin, Mrs. G. W. Swinford, Mrs. Robinson Craven, Mrs. N. F. Hopper, Mrs. John Price, Mrs. Byron Frost, Mrs. Ed Hamlin, Mrs. Jennie Bantz, Mrs. W. H. Gilbert, Mrs. Morna Dusenberry, Mrs. J. E. Melvin, Mrs. Harve Dawson, Mrs. William Everhart, and Mrs. Ringgold.

These officers went to Skidmore today to institute a chapter there.

32 Loads of Corn.

Since January 1 Adkins Bros., grain buyers, have shipped thirty-two car loads of corn from this locality. The shipments totaled 28,439 bushels, and the price paid was $26,716.40. When it is remembered that the bulk of our corn crop is kept on the farm for feed, one can gain an idea of the importance of this crop in this section of the country. Other grain buyers have also had heavy shipments which shows a big surplus, in spite of the fact that we have not raised a full crop of corn since 1910.—Burlington Junction Post.

O. F. Cole Visits Here.

O. F. Cole, Grand Ruler of Jurisdiction No. 15, of the Fraternal Mystic Circle for the State of Missouri, with headquarters at Kansas City, was in Maryville yesterday. Mr. Cole has many friends in Maryville who are always glad to see him. He has been connected with the F. M. C. for many years.

Township Convention Sunday.

The Sunday School convention of Monroe township will be held Sunday at Skidmore. Miss Julia Denny, Miss Eva Davis, and G. B. Roseberry of this city are on the program.

Skidmore to Observe Day.

Skidmore will observe Decoration and the various committees are using their best efforts to make it an event long to be remembered and the beginning of an observance that will be carried out annually.

C. G. McMillen and Newt Wray of Pickering are in Maryville today on business.

Lyceum Board Meeting.

A meeting of the Lyceum board will be held at the Commercial club rooms next Monday evening at 8 o'clock to decide whether to have a course next winter. The meeting is called by Prof. J. M. McDonald, chairman of the committee.

Oppose Drainage District.

The following farmers in the vicinity of Barnard and Arkoe are opposed to the formation of a drainage district to straighten the 102 river from where the drainage ditch ends at the Carr bridge to the Andrew county line: P. M. Willson, R. B. Willson, Ed Cliser, Sam Maffitt, Billie Ware, T. J. Curran, Frank Maffitt, C. T. Dougan, Frank Dougan, Sherman Pope, Will Mathers and Sam Scowden.

GUILFORD WOMAN DIES

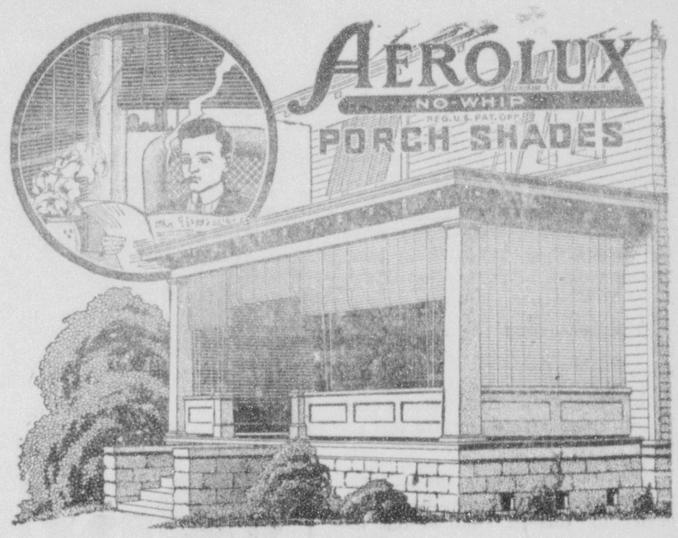
Mrs. Hugh Moore, 42, Passes Away After Four Weeks' Illness — Funeral Today.

Mrs. Hugh Moore, 42 years old, died yesterday afternoon at her home in Guilford following a four weeks' illness of a complication of diseases.

Mrs. Moore was born in Lincoln county, Kentucky, and has lived in Missouri for a number of years. She is survived by her husband and five children, all at home.

Funeral services were held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the residence, the Rev. O. E. Lockart officiating. Burial was in Weathermon cemetery.

Dale Carter of Burlington Junction is in Maryville today.



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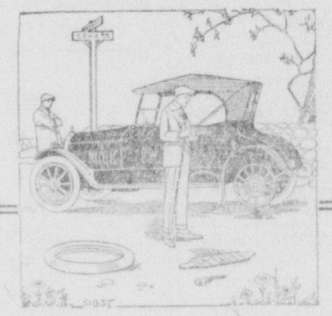

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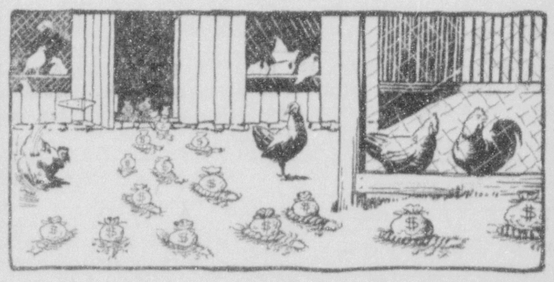

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WOOL! WOOL! WOOL!

I am in the market for your clip of wool. We have plenty of sacks and twine. Highest market prices guaranteed. CHAS. A. JENSEN,

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AUCTION SALE

Of New Century Cultivators, Saturday, May 26, at 1 o'clock p. m., rain or shine, and if you need a cultivator you will regret it if you are not here. Remembering, it's the last call. McCormick Binder Twine 18 cents.

"Of Course" HOLT for High Prices.

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These prices are for cash with order. An extra charge of five cents will be made on all want ads when cash does not accompany the order.

MISCELLANEOUS

GRAHAM'S want you to look at their HOSIERY at lowest prices. 15-17

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

LOST—Between Wells-Fargo office and Smoke Shop, 2 five dollar bills. Finder please bring to Wells-Fargo office and receive reward. 16-18

FOUND—A rosary. Owner may have same by paying for ad. Inquire at this office. 18-21

FOUND—In postoffice lobby, a gold brooch, safety clasp. Inquire this office. 16-18

FOUND—Pair of Auto chains. Owner may have same by identifying and paying for this ad. Call at this office. 18-21

PUPILS desiring to study music during summer should reserve lesson period now. St. Joseph, Tuesday, Wednesday; Studio, Jenkins Music Store; Maryville, Monday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday. Studio, 319 West Thompson street. 12-18*

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Ford car. See S. C. Clark, 209-211 North Market. 16-18*

FOR SALE—Nice heifer calf. Call Knox Garage. 16-18

FOR SALE—Spotted Shetland, five years old. Inquire D. M. Hughes at W. W. Jones & Co. 16-18*

FOR SALE—Car tankage on Burton track. Phone your orders. Yowell & Sons. 18-21*

AUCTION SALE —Of cultivators Saturday, May 26, wet or dry, at 1 o'clock p. m. L. R. Holt, Maryville, Mo. 16-22

FOR SALE—Sweet potato plants, 40c per hundred; tomato and cabbage plants, 15c a dozen. Walter E. Johnson, Pickering, Mo. 17-19

FOR SALE—My residence and two lots located at 122 West Edwards St., most beautiful location in the city. Also my entire lot of furniture for sale. See me at above address for prices. Mrs. Clark Andrews. 16-18*

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—A suite of rooms furnished for light housekeeping. 404 East First St. Hanamo 3625. 18-21

FOR RENT—6-room house, modern, located at 602 East 4th St. Call Han. 55. 4tf.

FOR RENT—Two strictly modern apartments, solid comfort for small families. Chas. Hyslop. 9tf.

FOR RENT—6-room house, 622 N. Mulberry, good garden spot. Call Farmers phone 173, Burlington Junction. 17-19

WANTED

SALESLADIES WANTED — Apply Lincoln Co. Ten Cent Store. 17-19

GRAHAM'S want you to look at their line of Muslin Underwear at lowest prices. 15-17

WANTED—Young lady, preferably teacher, for position during summer months. Educational work; salary $60.00 per month. Address Dept. C, 704 American Bank Building, Kansas City, Mo. 18

WANTED—Young lady solicitor, able to approach the better class. Entirely new proposition. Musically inclined preferred but not necessary, dignified work. If you have sales ability, are capable of presenting our proposition to the best homes in Maryville in an intelligent manner, we will guarantee you $10.00 per week and with a little effort you can make it $18.00. No samples to carry. Nothing to peddle. Answer by letter only, giving telephone number. Address Musical, care Democrat-Forum. 16-18

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Big G A remedy for infections of the urinary tract. Painless, non-poisonous and will not stricture. Relieves in 1 to 5 days. SOLD BY DRUGGISTS. Parcel Post if desired—Price $1, or 3 bottles $2.75. Prepared by THE EVANS CHEMICAL CO., CINCINNATI, O.

Burlington Junction High School Graduates

SENIOR CLASS 1917.

Reading from left to right, top row—John Houston, Everett Crites, Richard Zarn, Lloyd Brown. Middle row—Fern Reavis, Elsie Houston, Ethel Williams, Ada Yates. Bottom row—Mary Walker, Emma Wilcox, Pearl Hood, Mary Bearce.—Courtesy Burlington Junction Post.

Coal—Coal

This may not appeal to some people however, but now is the time to buy your next winters coal supply. We are taking orders now for immediate delivery only. No contracts taken only for price in effect at time of shipment.
Let us quote you on Iowa, Illinois and Missouri Soft Coal, also Pennsylvania Anthracite.
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New Recruits at St. Joseph.

Ernest K. Hasty of Graham has enlisted in the army at the St. Joseph recruiting station. Navy recruits at St. Joseph were Oscar Cunningham of Graham and Fred O. Bender of Burlington Junction.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shambargar of Graham were in Maryville yesterday.

J. S. Shinabargar, Aaron Felix, Gus Romasser, R. P. Hosmer and W. H. Allen are fishing today in Bridgewater.

Alfred Shackelford of Tarkio was a city visitor today.

Mrs. Floyd Hockett of Oklahoma City, is the guest of relatives at Quitman.

C. E. Boring of Quitman is seriously ill at his home.

Advance to the third class is the recognition recently received by the Bethany postoffice.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to thank the many friends and neighbors whose friendship was shown in countless acts of kindness and sympathy in the sickness and the death of our beloved husband and father, A. J. Croy, and especially do we appreciate the attentions shown by the members of the G. A. R. and the Woman's Relief Corps.—Mrs. A. J. Croy and Family.

ALL parties wishing to rent rooms to Normal students for summer quarter, call Mrs. A. R. Perrin, Hanamo 146. 18-21

FOR SALE—Car tankage in Burlington track. Maryville Feed & Milling Co., West Third St., Hanamo 110, Farmers 230. 18-21

FOR SALE—3 thoroughbred Scotch collies. Call at the Moose cafe. 18*

MRS. SECKINGTON DIES

Fractured Hip Causes Long Illness and Death of Maryville Woman —Four Children Survive.

Mrs. Mary Ann Seckington died at 2:23 o'clock this afternoon at her home on East First street as a result of a fractured hip. Mrs. Seckington has been in poor health for several years. Sixteen days ago she fell in the kitchen of her home, striking her hip on a coal bucket and fractured the bone.

Mrs. Seckington would have been 76 years old had she lived until June 29. She was born in Montreal, Canada, and lived there until after she was married to Frederick Seckington. Mr. and Mrs. Seckington then moved to Iowa where they lived for twenty-three years, when they moved to Kansas and lived there for one year. Then they moved to Maryville and have since resided here. Mr. Seckington died four years ago.

Mrs. Seckington is survived by four children, five grandchildren and one grand-grandchild. The children are: Anthony Seckington of Reger, Mo.; Edward Seckington of North English, Ia.; J. A. Seckington of Montreal, Canada, and Margaret Seckington still at home. Two of the children, Anthony and Margaret Seckington and one grandson, David Seckington of St. Joseph were with her at the time of her death.

Funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

Another raider has started work in Mercer county and his accomplishments were almost as sweeping as those of that county's prosecuting attorney. Evil doers have a slim chance in Mercer. The new county treasurer, W. W. Wilson, during his first month in office collected $725.29 in back taxes, three times as much as the best former record for the month of April.

MONEY TO DRAG ROADS

State Highway Engineer Corrects Impression That the State Will Not Furnish It.

All questions regarding the state money available for dragging on county seat highways was eliminated today by the receipt of a letter by Secretary E. M. Claypool, of the Commercial club from J. D. Davis, assistant State Highway Engineer at Jefferson City. A persistent rumor has been afloat to the effect that the state had no money with which to pay for dragging. The following excerpts from the letter will explain the situation.

"The writer begs to advise that there is a fund of $200,000 now available for dragging the inter-county-seat roads in the various counties in the state during the year 1917, and that each mile of inter county-seat road will receive $15, which money will be paid out upon requisitions sent in by the Secretary of the County Highway Boards.

"We expect to mail copies of the requisition form to the secretary of the county highway boards as soon as we receive them from the state printer, and your money will be available for dragging the roads as soon as the requisition blanks are properly filled in by the secretary of the County highway board, and sent to this office for approval by the state highway engineer."

This information will put an end to the fears of many of the men throughout the county who were under the impression that if they dragged the roads this year, it would be done gratis. The county highway board will meet tomorrow to organize and arrange to let contracts for dragging on county-seat roads. The board is composed of George S. Miller, E. C. Wolfers and Harry Wamsley.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Grain Market Futures.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, May 18.— WHEAT — May, $2.85; July, $2.24½.

CORN—May, $1.59; July, $1.50½.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, May 18.—CATTLE—Receipts, 600; nothing good.

HOGS—Receipts, 13,000; market, 5c bulk, $15.50@$16.30.

SHEEP—Receipts, 500; market, steady.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, May 18.—CATTLE— Receipts, 3,000; market, steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 1,300; market, 5c higher; top, $16.45.

SHEEP—Receipts, 8,000.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, May 18.—CATTLE—Receipts, 100; market, steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 2,500; market, steady; top, $16.40.

SHEEP—Receipts, 500 market, steady.

Furnished daily by Speirs Produce company.

Butter Fat, per lb	34c
Eggs, per doz	29c
Hens, per lb	18
Hides, per lb	18c
Ducks	13c
Geese	12c
Roosters, per lb	10

I met a friend the other day, and to be pleasant by the way, I said, "I'm glad to see you out, and hope you're well and feeling stout." She drew a weary, deathlike smile, and lengthened out her face a mile, and said, "I am not feeling well; I have a cold and can not smell. I feel as mean as mean can be, my eyes are sore, I can not see. I have a cough that shakes my frame, I'm stiff and sore, my back is lame; my stomach won't digest an egg, I have a boil upon my leg. My teeth are aching by the score, my throat and tonsils are quite sore. My ears are roaring like a drum, my head aches, and I'm feeling glum. My children are having croup, my chicks are dying with the roup." I said, "My friend, your case is bad, and you have ground for feeling sad. But I must hurry on my way, I have some errands for today." Somehow I lost my cheerful thought, something upon me gloom had brought. I scarcely knew the reason why, but felt that I would have to cry. So I've resolved to hide my woe from those who see me come and go. I'd rather tell a little lie than make my friends all want to sigh.—Mrs. O. W. Curry in Bethany Republican.

To Attend State Convention.

M. Nusbaum will leave Monday for Jefferson City, where he will attend the state meeting of the K. P. lodges. Mr. Nusbaum is representing the Maryville lodge.

The regular meeting of the W. R. C. will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

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Eighteen years as a justice of the peace without having a judicial decision reversed by a higher tribunal of justice is the remarkable record of Squire E. C. Goalder, of Henrietta. That this is not due to any dearth of cases coming under his jurisdiction is proved by the statement in the Richmond Missourian that during a term of his court in one day there were 26 convictions.

Six train loads of British horses, averaging 34 cars to the train left Lathrop last week over the Burlington for Montreal and Newport News.

At a recent sale of the personal effects of the late Fred Fredericks, an old German who lived for many years in Caldwell county, a bible was sold for $19.25. It was in German, very large and with covers of wood. It bore the date of 1536. It was bought by Thomas McPeek of Breckenridge.

A woman walked more than two miles to Johnsonville one day last week with a basket of eggs. Her bill called for 50 cents worth of sugar, two pounds of lard, 25 cents worth of horse shoe tobacco for the old man, and if there was enough coming some other articles. But there wasn't enough coming. Economize on flour, cut out the sugar, do away with coffee, these things are necessary anyway, but in this land of the free, hubby gets his daily ration of good old horse shoe. There are many similar cases.—Dallas Items in DeKalb County Herald.

Glory be, they are here—greens and hog jowls. Hog jowls and greens, well cooked together, make the eighth joy of living in May-time. — Jewell Mayes, in Richmond Missourian.

Rejoicing over the excellent prospect for an unusually large chicken crop in Ray county, the Richmond Missourian remarks that "Methodists are not the only denomination who like to pull at the running gear of a chicken."

Mrs. Joe Young of Morris, Okla., is visiting relatives in Quitman today.

Mrs. J. M. Johnson of Finn, Idaho, is visiting relatives in Quitman.

WILL INVESTIGATE

ATTORNEY GENERAL McALLISTER TO LOOK INTO REFERENDUM.

WILL TRACE PETITIONS

Governor Wishes to Know Amount and the Method of Securing Signers Against Inheritance Tax Law.

Jefferson City, Mo., May 18.—An investigation is to be begun at once by Attorney General Frank W. McAllister into the amount and method of expenditure of money used in securing signers to the petitions for invoking the referendum on the inheritance tax law.

This statement was made today by the Attorney General in this connection.

"The plan being used in Cole county to secure signatures to the petitions to refer the inheritance tax law is to employ solicitors and pay them 10 cents per signer. If this plan is used all over the state quite a large sum of money, comparatively speaking, will be required to secure the requisite number of petitioners.

"This scheme comes very close to a violation of the law, and I seriously doubt the validity of petitions secured by such methods, but, in any event, the people are entitled to know who comes forward with the necessary funds.

"They have a right to know what interests are back of the effort to cripple, if not bankrupt, the state and destroy the usefulness of the state government in the greatest crisis the people of this country have ever faced.

"To the end that they may know, if these petitions are presented, I shall bring about such proceedings as will trace the last dollar of the money expended to its original source, so that the people may know who is really behind this scheme."

Information received by Governor Gardner in the last twenty-four hours indicates that circulators of the petitions throughout the state for "tying up" the law are not meeting with much success since publicity has been given to the movement.

In response to a letter of inquiry from State Superintendent of Schools Uel W. Lamkin, President A. Ross Hill, of the University of Missouri, in a letter to the Governor today, says that no one connected with the faculty of that institution has in any way been connected with the circulation of the petitions.

Dr. Hill further said word has been sent out to the alumni of the university throughout the state asking that signing of the petitions be discouraged everywhere.

Guests at Davis Home.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Davis of Alvord, Ia., who have been visiting Mr. Davis' father, George D. Davis, and family, left this morning for their home. They will stop on their way home at Des Moines and Grinnell. Mr. and Mrs. Davis have been visiting a month at Excelsior Springs and Kansas City.

The county court ordered the release of Cyrus E. Golay of near Clearmont, who was tried yesterday for insanity.

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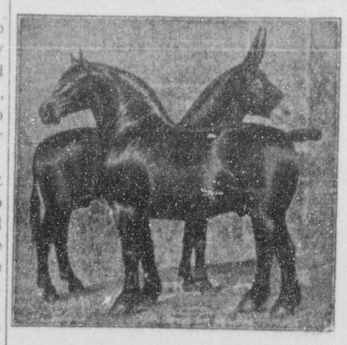

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